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In January, shipments of polyester industrial yarn rose to the highest level since October 1984, while shipments of other key products fell in January-

- ***Nylon industrial yarn*** shipments fell by 15.8%.
- ***Nylon carpet yarn*** shipments dropped by almost 16%.
- ***Nylon staple+tow*** shipments declined by 14%.

But other key products did well-

- ***Rayon staple*** shipments rose to the highest level since October 1984.
- ***Acrylic+Modacrylic staple+tow*** shipments rose to the highest level since last October.
- ***Polyester staple+tow*** shipments increased to the highest level in four months.

TABLE 1:
TOTAL MAN-MADE FIBER SHIPMENTS
MILLION POUNDS & *PERCENT*

ITEM	1986 JAN	1985 DEC	%[a]	1985 JAN	%[b]	YEAR TO DATE 1986	YEAR TO DATE 1985	%[c]
YARN+MONOFILAMENTS								
CELLULOSIC YARN	**17.8**	**18.8**	*-5.3*	**17.3**	*+2.9*	**17.8**	**17.3**	*+2.9*
NYLON[d] - INDUSTRIAL	26.2	31.1	*-15.8*	32.1	*-18.4*	26.2	32.1	*-18.4*
- CARPET	69.4	82.5	*-15.9*	57.1	*+21.5*	69.4	57.1	*+21.5*
- TEXTILE[e]	30.7	30.7	--	33.1	*-7.3*	30.7	33.1	*-7.3*
POLYESTER - INDUSTRIAL	28.2	24.5	*+15.1*	26.4	*+6.8*	28.2	26.4	*+6.8*
- LOW DENIER INDUSTRIAL	1.9	2.1	*-9.5*	1.6	*+18.8*	1.9	1.6	*+18.8*
- TEXTILE	75.6	77.0	*-1.8*	69.5	*+8.8*	75.6	69.5	*+8.8*
OLEFIN	75.0	71.0	*+5.6*	73.5	*+2.0*	75.0	73.5	*+2.0*
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE	**307.0**	**318.9**	*-3.7*	**293.3**	*+4.7*	**307.0**	**293.3**	*+4.7*
STAPLE+TOW+FIBERFILL								
RAYON	**35.0**	**30.7**	*+14.0*	**29.0**	*+20.7*	**35.0**	**29.0**	*+20.7*
NYLON[d]	70.5	82.0	*-14.0*	70.5	--	70.5	70.5	--
ACRYLIC+MODACRYLIC	49.1	44.9	*+9.4*	51.5	*-4.7*	49.1	51.5	*-4.7*
POLYESTER	179.0	167.9	*+6.6*	162.4	*+10.2*	179.0	162.4	*+10.2*
OLEFIN+VINYON	25.2	20.5	*+22.9*	21.4	*+17.8*	25.2	21.4	*+17.8*
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE	**323.8**	**315.3**	*+2.7*	**305.8**	*+5.9*	**323.8**	**305.8**	*+5.9*

-- Means no change.
a. Percent change from previous month to current month.
b. Percent change to current month from same month last year.
c. Percent change from cumulative total last year to cumulative total this year.
d. Nylon excludes Aramid.
e. Low denier industrial Nylon is included with Textile.
Also see footnotes on last page of this issue.

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1985 U.S. FIBER PRODUCTION RECORDS A MODEST GROWTH

Production for noncellulosic yarn and staple+tow recorded a modest gain of 1%. Noncellulosic yarn production fell over 4% in 1985, while noncellulosic staple+tow production increased just over 7%.

Although Polyester and Olefin yarn production grew significantly in 1985, the production of Nylon yarn declined--

- ***Olefin*** *yarn production rose almost 26%, as demand for carpet face yarns and backing grew substantially; and*
- ***Polyester*** *yarn production increased by 10.1%, as the home furnishings market grew at an accelerated rate; but*
- ***Nylon*** *yarn production fell 4%, as the demand for tire cord and fabric fell off sharply.*

Polyester, Nylon and Acrylic+Modacrylic staple+tow production fell during the year, while production for Olefin+Vinyon staple+tow rose in 1985--

- ***Olefin+Vinyon*** *staple+tow production rose by nearly 18%, as the carpets & rugs and nonwoven markets improved significantly; and*
- ***Polyester*** *staple+tow production fell just over 7% as a result of declining demand in the export and domestic markets; while*
- ***Nylon*** *staple+tow production was down by almost 1%; and*
- ***Acrylic+Modacrylic*** *staple+tow production recorded a modest decline despite an improved demand in the domestic markets, which was offset in the falling demand in the export markets.*

SELECTED U.S. MAN-MADE FIBER IMPORTS SURGE

.In 1985, imports of selected man-made fibers for consumption continued to accelerate. The most significant surge could be recorded in:

- ***Polyester*** *yarns, where imports totaled 33.4 million pounds, up 26% from the 1984 import level of 26.5 million pounds.*

The leading importing countries are:

- *South Africa; imports rose by over 268%.*
- *West Germany; imports doubled to 100%.*
- ***Acrylic+Modacrylic*** *staple+tow imports experienced a 22.8% increase.*

The major importing countries are:

- *Japan; imports increased by over 53%.*
- *Italy; imports advanced by 24.3%.*
- ***Nylon*** *staple+tow imports rose almost 11% in 1985.*

The major importing countries are:

- *Israel; imports rose by over 522%.*
- *Canada; imports are up almost 272%.*
- *South Africa; imports grew by 182%.*

1985 IMPORT/EXPORT REVIEW

IMPORTS

Between 1984 and 1985, U.S. imports of man-made fibers rose to 331.4 million pounds, up almost 11% over the 299.2 million pounds imported in 1984. This increase represented a gain of $20.0 million since 1984.

Major increases in 1985 over 1984 are noted in the following categories:

- ***Cellulosic Fibers*** rose by 39.5%.
- ***Noncellulosic Staple*** increased by 21.6%.
- ***Noncellulosic Fibers*** grew over 16%.

EXPORTS

In 1985, U.S. exports of man-made fibers increased by 4.8% to 867.6 million pounds, up 39.5 million pounds from the 828.1 million pounds exported in 1984.

These increased exports represented a gain of $23.4 million since 1984.

- ***Noncellulosic Fiber*** exports rose by 34.4%.
- ***Cellulosic Fibers*** moved ahead by 20.3%.
- ***Cellulosic Staple*** exports fell by 32.4%.
- ***Noncellulosic Staple*** exports dropped by a marginal 3.0%.

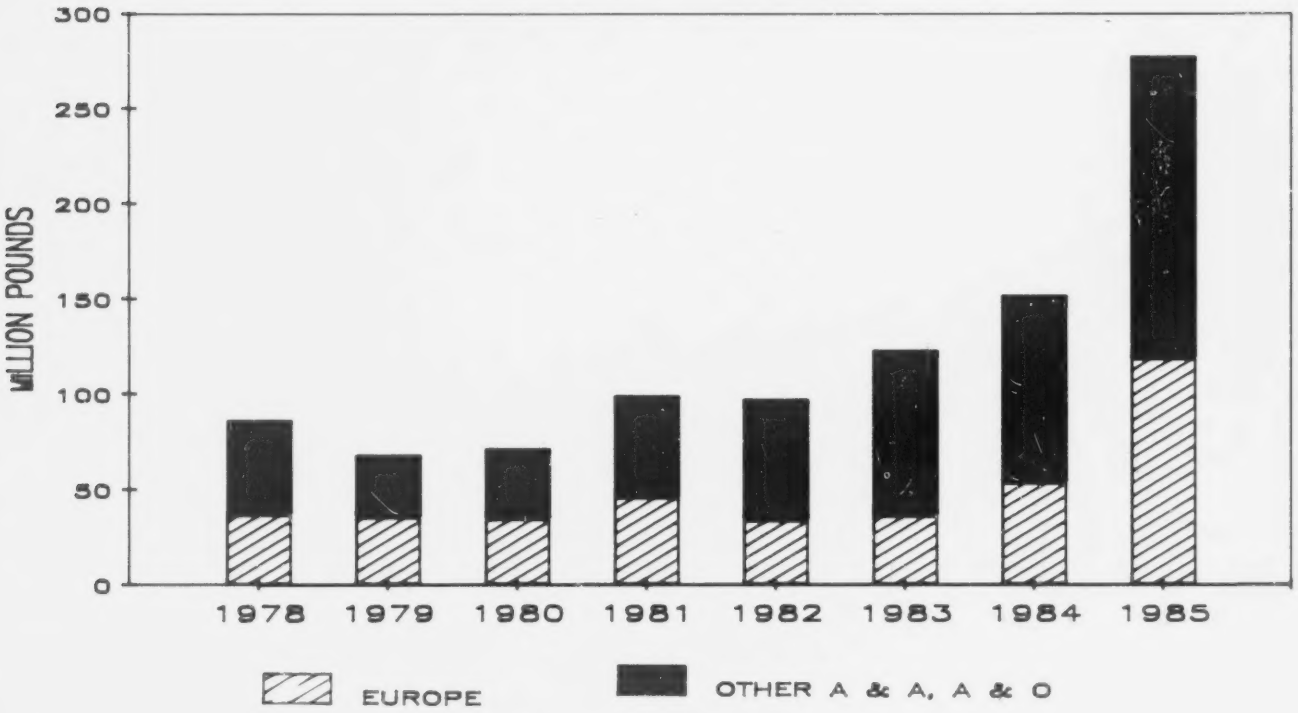
TABLE 2:
U.S. IMPORTS OF SELECTED MAN-MADE FIBER MANUFACTURES

ITEM	COMMODITY NUMBER AS OF 1/1/82	THOUSAND POUNDS					THOUSAND DOLLARS				
		1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
KNIT FABRIC IN THE PIECE											
RAYON & ACETATE	345.5011 - 5077 INCLUSIVE	318	448	225	124	76	1660	2311	1168	567	285
ACRYLIC		127	146	145	115	116	725	1122	638	468	498
NYLON		346	440	407	527	388	2208	3123	2317	3712	2871
POLYESTER		1066	849	1053	1693	1123	5171	4256	6903	9516	5085
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER		242	354	314	500	530	1399	2089	1772	3173	2749
TOTAL KNIT FABRICS		**2099**	**2237**	**2144**	**2959**	**2233**	**11163**	**12901**	**12798**	**17436**	**11488**
BROAD WOVEN FABRICS											
MAN-MADE FIBER FABRICS CONTAINING MORE THAN 17% WOOL											
RAYON OR ACETATE	338 1000 - 1580	28	9	26	32	21	184	73	127	231	69
NYLON		88	168	120	183	67	785	1366	1052	1083	229
POLYESTER		22170	19799	23446	32325	78483	91704	82658	92431	130948	123564
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER		16554	10266	7785	7386	21244	54231	31407	21927	23285	28604
OTHER WOVEN FABRICS IN THE PIECE EXCEPT PILE FABRICS											
ACETATE		113	250	464	398	137	1517	1349	1809	1365	128
RAYON - 100% FILAMENT YARN		1332	1060	1590	2090	2266	9102	6454	8005	11017	2304
- OTHER MAINLY 100% YARN											
RAYON &/OR ACETATE	338.2500 - 5069a INCLUSIVE	3753	2744	4623	5486	10800	31162	17287	26078	31451	14962
RAYON OR ACETATE & COTTON			273	352	172	253		1646	1632	2079	326
ACRYLIC		297	295	191	338	389	1634	1806	1168	1700	739
NYLON		501	990	2522	2517	7734	4450	5893	10212	12947	128
POLYESTER		45870	41250	50238	48059	75510	318203	286794	317131	309983	72024
POLYESTER & RAYON			395	661	1347	7749		1140	1153	2651	2787
POLYESTER & COTTON			10689	16138	27505	33895		41396	48415	71970	17863
TEXTILE GLASS FIBER		1807	2251	4915	5104	19406	4610	4935	12065	16142	17153
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER		5542	4249	6260	14312	15510	35423	27616	29655	66048	19227
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER & COTTON			545	633	1563	1315		3710	3473	7497	1825
VELVETS	346.6010 - 6065	757	579	1244	1663	1150	3515	2273	3931	4755	2470
OTHER PILE FABRICS		671	1031	1155	1569	1147	4335	5995	5826	7139	3968
TIRE FABRIC	357.8060	273	1069	1253	460	903	514	1520	1660	766	1496
TOTAL BROAD WOVEN FABRICS		**99756**	**97912**	**123616**	**152509**	**277979**	**561369**	**525318**	**587750**	**703057**	**309866**

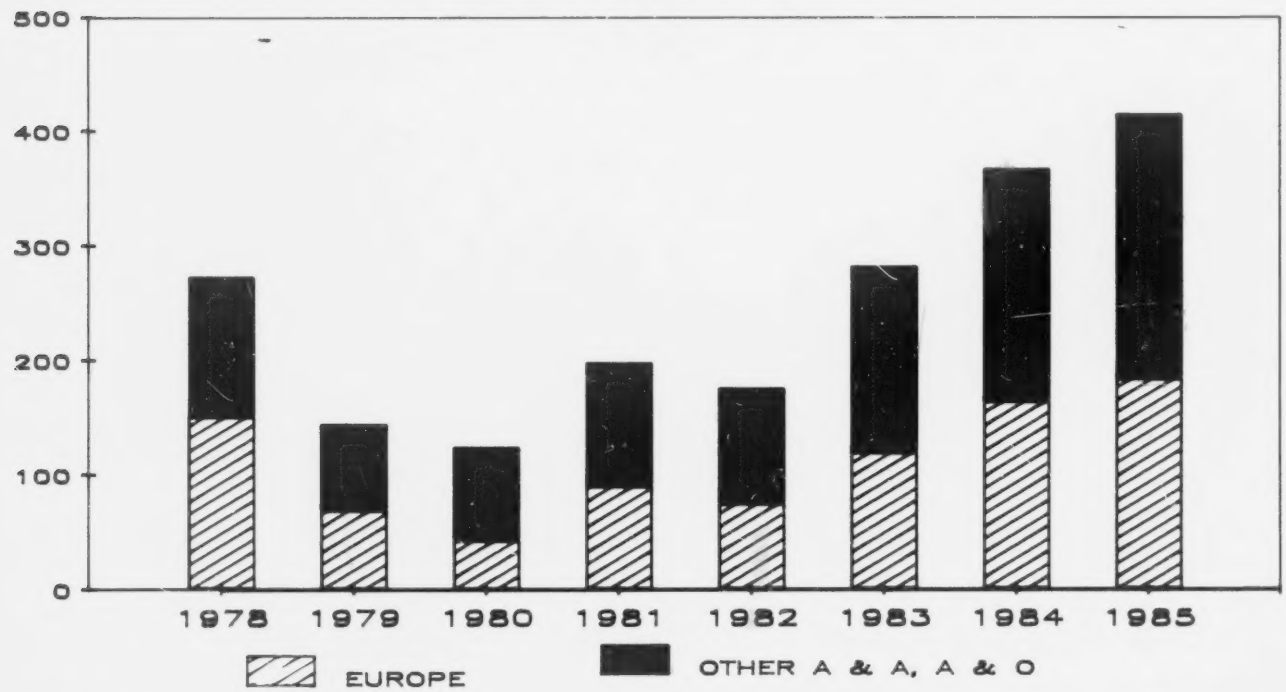
Source: U.S. Census Bureau IM146.

a. As of 1978, the commodity numbers for Other Woven Fabrics in the Piece Except Pile Fabrics ran from 338.2500 to 338.3098. In both 1981 and 1982 those commodity numbers, with the exception of those for textile glass (338.2500 & .2700), were revised, leaving both 1981 and 1982 data not comparable with those for earlier years.

GRAPH 1:
U.S. IMPORTS OF BROADWOVEN FABRIC
MILLION POUNDS



GRAPH 2:
IMPORTS OF MAN—MADE FIBER & YARN
MILLION POUNDS



SELECTED U.S. MAN-MADE FIBER & MANUFACTURES IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

THOUSAND POUNDS

TABLE 3: IMPORTS OF MAN-MADE BROAD WOVEN FABRICS

COUNTRY	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
AUSTRIA	190	112	192	434	429
BELGIUM	558	605	1127	1538	1794
FRANCE	1631	2202	2287	3353	10949
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	2264	1518	1960	3188	7584
HUNGARY	28	19	23	170	754
IRELAND	2591	253	211	91	238
ITALY	36656	27524	29127	41923	91755
NETHERLANDS	103	115	90	126	249
POLAND	235	256	85	164	179
PORTUGAL	46	18	13	218	159
ROMANIA	25	45	59	182	430
SPAIN	385	293	250	289	387
SWEDEN	376	159	121	173	286
SWITZERLAND	650	477	479	770	1610
UNITED KINGDOM	321	438	379	874	977
YUGOSLAVIA	408	343	390	517	1209
OTHER EUROPE	41	19	17	105	216
TOTAL EUROPE ABOVE	**46508**	**34396**	**36810**	**54115**	**119205**
CHINA, P.R.O.	1309	2408	3184	7234	4556
HONG KONG	102	106	1303	171	181
INDIA	117	70	38	353	528
JAPAN	32588	34626	42396	38447	69619
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	11591	17184	23486	27669	31695
MALAYSIA	541	350	799	1398	2679
SINGAPORE	348	110	19	42	30
TAIWAN	1641	3135	9370	10265	26317
THAILAND	1471	2018	1706	2522	4479
BRAZIL	1373	1188	1514	1531	3750
CANADA	2099	2156	2859	3469	4640
ALL OTHER	68	165	132	5293	10300
TOTAL EXCLUDING EUROPE	**53248**	**63516**	**86806**	**98394**	**158774**
GRAND TOTAL	**99756**	**97912**	**123616**	**152509**	**277979**

TABLE 4: IMPORTS OF MAN-MADE KNIT FABRIC IN THE PIECE

COUNTRY	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
FRANCE	145	244	159	303	221
GERMANY, FED. REP.	299	356	318	369	225
IRELAND	--	47	2	3	25
ITALY	138	337	279	539	614
SWEDEN	78	28	16	5	9
UNITED KINGDOM	73	132	58	183	97
OTHER EUROPE	51	49	63	118	74
TOTAL EUROPE ABOVE	**784**	**1193**	**895**	**1520**	**1265**
HONG KONG	1	3	26	31	25
JAPAN	950	899	1039	1114	702
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	--	1	18	6	21
TAIWAN	36	31	79	177	159
CANADA	191	89	46	65	41
COSTA RICA	77	0	--	--	--
MEXICO	57	11	30	27	11
ALL OTHER	3	10	11	19	9
TOTAL EXCLUDING EUROPE	**1315**	**1044**	**1249**	**1439**	**968**
GRAND TOTAL	**2099**	**2237**	**2144**	**2959**	**2233**

TABLE 5: IMPORTS OF MAN-MADE FIBERS

COUNTRY	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
AUSTRIA	4951	4975	3661	3410	3424
BELGIUM	2633	2464	1899	2965	9170
DENMARK	234	522	1065	529	262
FINLAND	119	190	142	233	548
FRANCE	9526	10974	12778	11524	17161
GERMAN DEM. REP.	0	103	3	0	24
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	33850	25751	34307	62715	59653
GREECE	379	0	+	3	168
IRELAND	430	549	86	102	709
ITALY	11694	9735	18476	28047	36037
MALTA	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS	8058	2885	7609	5396	6852
POLAND	414	36	0	19	0
PORTUGAL	161	204	56	306	780
ROMANIA	2174	2801	4669	5946	4482
SPAIN	764	875	2531	2540	659
SWEDEN	2724	4626	3639	4733	2197
SWITZERLAND	479	944	2192	1728	3466
UNITED KINGDOM	12392	7874	26728	31335	34779
OTHER EUROPE	22	87	513	3282	4272
TOTAL EUROPE ABOVE	**91004**	**75595**	**120354**	**184813**	**184643**
AUSTRALIA	1628	2408	1965	1055	2872
BANGLADESH	0	174	0	0	0
CHINA, P.R.O.	708	1768	1744	3019	3930
EGYPT	333	0	0	41	20
HONG KONG	172	359	334	174	105
INDONESIA	505	386	1007	1166	873
IRAN	0	0	0	0	51
ISRAEL	1071	1025	2014	2913	5203
JAPAN	31453	31467	51231	55923	66309
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	830	874	5081	1614	6420
MALAYSIA	818	1138	1600	1401	1160
NEW ZEALAND	169	17	0	13	0
PHILIPPINES	2431	1477	2183	858	1419
SINGAPORE	1221	1386	1422	1238	1493
SOUTH AFRICA	1410	1691	2930	5090	14873
TAIWAN	9556	11542	10281	14615	20538
THAILAND	342	675	1022	1077	1157
ARGENTINA	41	329	298	429	695
BRAZIL	41	775	2222	5839	4346
CANADA	35120	24300	35599	59076	66646
COSTA RICA	106	225	1210	3225	3705
MEXICO	19443	18603	40107	43986	19281
PERU	0	0	0	20	8820
VENEZUELA	40	0	74	82	0
ALL OTHER	112	203	96	214	1213
TOTAL OTHER ABOVE	**107550**	**100822**	**162420**	**203068**	**231129**
TOTAL ABOVE	**198554**	**176417**	**282774**	**387881**	**415772**
PRODUCTS NOT DETAILED	10536	8010	8952	24377	20136
GRAND TOTAL	**209090**	**184427**	**291726**	**392258**	**435908**

NOTE: The three section totals on this page agree with the corresponding data on pages 24 and 31 of this issue.

The by country data in the "Imports of Man-Made Fiber" table above include singles, monofilaments and strips (see page 36 of this issue and the corresponding pages of earlier February *Organon* issues), plied filament yarn, staple, grouped filaments, waste, spun yarns and textile glass fiber. The "products not detailed" in the above table comprise other yarns - NES, handwork yarns and sewing thread and sliver, tops and roving.

TABLE 6:
SELECTED U.S. MAN-MADE FIBER IMPORTS BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

THOUSAND POUNDS

COUNTRY	A. NONCELLULOSIC YARN - SINGLES						B. NONCELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW								C. SPUN YARNS				D. WASTE				E. TEXTILE	
	NYLON		POLYESTER		OTHER		NYLON		POLYESTER		ACRYLIC		OTHER		CELL.		NONCELL.		CELL.		NONCELL.		GLASS	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
ARGENTINA	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	428	653	0	0
BRAZIL	1	86	7	0	0	0	803	3	+	0	0	0	661	3250	0	0	1598	0	0	0	2298	110	0	6
CANADA	7470	5520	1991	1155	7239	9899	3016	11218	8619	5059	5	24	2499	8088	3	0	2290	711	23	0	13556	13491	503	2087
COSTA RICA	0	0	540	933	0	0	0	0	2403	2636	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	326	128	0	0
MEXICO	8101	3498	5869	4921	54	135	4265	987	10320	4080	3014	3525	0	0	+	0	3556	1539	0	0	7662	7249	0	0
OTHER AMERICAS	0	0	0	0	0	84[a]	0	0	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	245	505[n]	0	0	141	0	0	0
TOTAL AMERICAS	**15572**	**9143**	**8407**	**7009**	**7293**	**10118**	**8084**	**12208**	**21417**	**11775**	**3019**	**3549**	**3160**	**11338**	**3**	**0**	**7690**	**2755**	**23**	**0**	**24411**	**21631**	**503**	**2093**
AUSTRIA	37	22	1	23	364	695	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	337	601	1303	451	328	0	0	0	1	0	0
BELGIUM/LUX.	687	5141	4	2	85	2413	323	381	57	0	14	32	45	70	0	6	144	515	0	0	868	267	216	220
DENMARK	60	34	0	0	1	0	25	+	22	0	0	0	49	99	0	0	+	0	0	0	346	0	0	0
FINLAND	0	0	0	+	0	+	63	0	0	0	0	0	17	244	0	0	117	121	0	0	28	20	1	0
FRANCE	3253	4227	11	6	31	36	4491	9175	122	200	1	1	56	339	0	12	983	1216	2	+	1185	1174	463	142
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	9055	3805	4813	9630	864	1635	23388	21134	377	280	6304	5397	551	2962	809	124	2314	2718	0	0	6115	4054	326	197
GREECE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRELAND	0	13	0	13	58	184	+	22	0	0	0	0	45	301	0	0	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY	8237	13057	227	104	872	376	10569	13066	106	175	1435	1783	1645	1579	1	1	4072	5600	0	1	124	1	300	111
NETHERLANDS	184	276	344	393	19	228	603	333	2	7	0	2	38	60	0	0	+	64	0	0	2057	1262	6	1055
POLAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PORTUGAL	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	40	0	0	0	0	+	0	0	245	767	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROMANIA	586	131	38	0	0	0	571	427	1518	510	0	29	0	40	0	0	2804	3260	0	0	496	0	0	0
SPAIN	83	7	286	1	26	6	0	0	+	0	0	6	36	+	0	0	2045	535	0	0	50	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND	353	2420	37	138	15	3	274	285	0	46	2	0	89	71	0	0	14	39	0	0	809	452	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM	4076	5721	491	122	295	525	11321	8539	169	247	1484	1803	2483	2969	0	0	347	811	506	315	2508	1593	2927	2921
OTHER EUROPE	2	3357[a]	+	1[c]	164	167[f]	314	132[g]	1	11[h]	0	24[i]	35	59[j]	0	0	1993	674[o]	0	0	1416	190[q]	67	+[s]
TOTAL EUROPE	**26613**	**38211**	**6252**	**10433**	**2794**	**6270**	**51942**	**53494**	**2414**	**1476**	**9253**	**9077**	**5166**	**9130**	**1411**	**1446**	**15529**	**16815**	**508**	**316**	**16002**	**9014**	**4306**	**4646**
AUSTRALIA	16	0	0	0	65	+	88	187	0	0	0	0	10	60	0	0	0	1	0	0	780	895	0	0
BANGLADESH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP. OF	0	0	+	0	0	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	+	0	0	3018	3904	0	0
EGYPT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0	0	0
HONG KONG	0	0	+	0	7	2	+	4	0	44	0	0	2	0	0	0	164	38	0	0	0	0	+	0
INDONESIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1166	873	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISRAEL	1432	2098	346	325	0	153	184	1145	1	55	1	2	0	28	0	0	151	939	0	96	751	512	0	0
JAPAN	3894	816	8355	4272	1072	687	481	291	3976	7380	8154	12488	1625	2919	310	293	5117	5551	0	0	1443	2376	18262	26918
KOREA, REP. OF	113	16	3	24	72	0	0	1	404	4542	22	0	34	0	0	0	550	568	0	0	2562	512	1	35
MALAYSIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1401	1160	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	+	0	0	13	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	627	660	0	0	231	758	0	0
SINGAPORE	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1331	1398	0	0	24	0	0	0
SOUTH AFRICA	21	186	3058	11270	78	8	210	592	296	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	760	1658	0	66	1188	1038	0	0
TAIWAN	405	153	86	41	+	5	379	135	1487	6463	20	0	9290	10940	0	0	427	515	0	0	81	6	0	997
THAILAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	640	821	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER A, A & O	94	81[b]	0	+[d]	0	0	0	0	0	48[k]	0	13[l]	0	42[m]	0	0	29	502[p]	0	0	0	25[r]	10	0
TOTAL A, A & O	**5975**	**3350**	**11848**	**15932**	**1294**	**855**	**1368**	**2355**	**6164**	**18532**	**8197**	**12504**	**10961**	**14021**	**310**	**293**	**12364**	**14684**	**0**	**162**	**10132**	**10026**	**18273**	**27950**
GRAND TOTAL	**48160**	**50704**	**26507**	**33374**	**11381**	**17243**	**61394**	**68057**	**29995**	**31783**	**20469**	**25130**	**19287**	**34489**	**1724**	**1739**	**35583**	**34254**	**531**	**478**	**50545**	**40671**	**23082**	**34689**

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau IM146.

A. Nylon 310.0109, .0149, .0209 & 0249; Polyester 310.0110, .0150, .0210 & .0250; Other 310.0114, .0170, .0214, .0270, .0530, .0550, .0630 & .0650.

B. Nylon 309.3030, .3130, .3200 & .4338; Polyester 309.3040, .3140, .3340 & .4342; Acrylic 309.3050, .3150, .3350 & .4345; Other 309.3065, .3165, .3365, .4346 & .4355.

C. Cellulosic 310.4005, .4030, .5005 & .5030; Noncellulosic 310.4015, .4027, .4046, .4047, .4050, .5015, .5046, .5047, .5049 & .5051.

D. Cellulosic 309.6615 & .7510; Noncellulosic 309.6000, .6625, .6630, .6645, .3660, .7000, .7525, .7530, .7540 & .7555.

E. 309.2800, .2900, .9800 & .9900.

a. German Dem. Rep. 14, Turkey 16, Yugoslavia 3327.
b. Iran 31, Morocco 50.
c. Sweden 1.
d. Lebanon +.
e. Chile 84.
f. Hungary 23, Norway 144.
g. Bulgaria 61, Ireland 25, Yugoslavia 46.
h. Sweden 6, Turkey 5.
i. India 21, Kiribat 27.
j. Turkey 5, Yugoslavia 19.
k. Jordan 13.
l. Sweden 18, Yugoslavia 41.
m. Gabon 42.
n. Chile +, Columbia 177, El Salvador 1, Peru, 175, Uruguay 152.
o. Sweden +, Turkey 582, Yugoslavia 92.
p. India 324, Mali 8, Mauritania 170.
q. Iceland 60, Sweden 130.
r. India 25.
s. Sweden +.

TABLE 7:
SELECTED U.S. EXPORTS BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION

COUNTRY	A. CELLULOSIC YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS				B. NONCELLULOSIC TEXTILE YARN				C. NONCELL. INDUSTRIAL YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS				D. CELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW				E. NONCELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW			
	THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
CANADA	1446	3172	2576	5074	19232	15849	35646	29788	5783	8422	15111	19081	364	243	465	293	63903	58372	56002	48774
COSTA RICA	32	46	45	75	2813	2932	3917	3526	547	266	318	203	74	84	50	314	5203	4141	4539	3062
DOMINICAN REP.	5	10	7	18	1275	2037	1185	1168	68	122	72	165	0	64	0	51	466	476	308	275
EL SALVADOR	7	14	12	24	3444	3759	5149	4519	437	622	1184	1221	35	0	42	0	6639	5087	5332	3539
GUATEMALA	0	132	0	176	2328	2428	2592	2442	239	259	299	322	44	0	34	0	3181	2710	2318	1814
HAITI	0	0	0	0	465	323	630	356	710	784	948	1146	0	0	0	0	36	1	31	4
HONDURAS	34	0	53	0	478	238	930	226	137	480	257	494	0	2	1	5	2162	923	1352	617
JAMAICA	1	0	5	0	218	227	483	423	7	13	33	37	44	0	35	0	34	54	176	269
LEEWARD & WINDWARD IS.	0	2	0	2	65	0	36	0	1	2	2	17	10	0	12	0	7	0	5	0
MEXICO	22	46	67	140	485	817	1177	2065	1845	1663	4906	4718	9441	15171	5206	9578	2010	4097	2377	4602
NICARAGUA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PANAMA	0	0	0	0	31	209	83	368	101	99	451	303	0	0	0	0	50	35	106	101
TRINIDAD	0	0	0	0	69	2	286	12	16	5	49	22	1	1	1	1	3	44	20	58
OTHER	2	0	6	0	26	+	81	3	19	3	33	5	+	1	1	7	48	4	141	7
NORTH AMERICA	**1549**	**3422**	**2771**	**5509**	**30929**	**28821**	**52195**	**44896**	**9911**	**12740**	**23672**	**27734**	**10013**	**15566**	**5847**	**10249**	**83742**	**75944**	**72707**	**63122**
ARGENTINA	92	158	158	333	3596	372	3637	416	1088	37	1705	161	707	112	471	78	13272	529	7884	383
BOLIVIA	0	0	0	0	72	25	307	29	1	9	14	14	0	0	0	0	172	374	178	313
BRAZIL	+	0	1	0	1752	1454	3225	2628	1152	1420	2449	3664	15	48	15	65	171	637	666	1159
CHILE	10	0	21	0	281	160	557	241	65	43	365	234	2041	828	1745	614	9250	6278	6884	4138
COLOMBIA	11	0	18	0	2436	1285	3352	1629	603	354	4069	2756	4921	2003	3073	1332	15187	9377	10582	6455
ECUADOR	266	491	453	756	563	2042	542	1856	46	316	179	439	264	275	159	178	7177	11651	5126	8488
PARAGUAY	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	10	0	14	0	37	0	0	0	0
PERU	2	3	4	7	127	118	183	85	130	306	286	534	1	81	631	61	1369	514	873	345
URUGUAY	0	15	0	13	170	154	489	372	7	1	38	13	844	0	3	0	756	292	589	201
VENEZUELA	9	60	44	125	1866	1853	3471	3131	309	601	1268	1194	19548	15259	15438	12149	2822	2478	3661	2050
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	58	0	3	0	6	0	0	0	0	+	0	2	3
SOUTH AMERICA	**390**	**727**	**699**	**1234**	**10865**	**7488**	**15767**	**10445**	**3401**	**3090**	**10373**	**9025**	**28341**	**18620**	**21535**	**14514**	**50176**	**32130**	**36445**	**23535**
BELGIUM/LUX.	2308	3025	1044	2902	13737	8603	30043	20659	10909	10759	15940	14267	812	481	627	366	14455	8991	26469	21449
DENMARK	0	0	0	0	87	53	94	66	20	88	25	71	15	6	18	8	1737	2135	1530	1894
FRANCE	1	0	3	0	2384	2326	10894	10373	136	389	927	507	251	262	387	479	579	621	867	1027
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	258	208	412	172	1337	2978	3457	6258	763	3079	1570	4186	211	167	399	259	1587	3182	2156	3224
GREECE	0	1	0	7	16	0	23	0	27	17	151	91	0	36	0	19	459	109	399	164
IRELAND	0	0	0	0	1728	1907	3074	2096	80	230	135	435	113	5	20	13	396	292	657	495
ITALY	0	1	0	2	938	647	518	843	5070	6499	1690	2111	353	737	96	160	972	5359	733	3485
NETHERLANDS	0	0	0	0	976	834	1189	733	116	279	428	528	50	14	46	18	3750	4632	4340	4568
UNITED KINGDOM	1	160	3	206	4545	4853	7114	6755	4760	4721	6176	6318	266	698	492	624	2551	3110	3905	4588
AUSTRIA	0	0	0	0	20	4	71	25	90	67	246	319	19	4	25	6	16	12	16	12
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	203	212	645	629	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FINLAND	0	0	0	0	19	14	76	68	478	249	467	315	36	3	12	3	418	251	279	170
GERMAN DEM. REP.	0	0	0	0	19	0	54	0	0	98	0	119	0	0	0	0	242	0	197	0
HUNGARY	+	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ICELAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	164	175	156	177
NORWAY	0	0	0	0	6	41	12	51	2	0	3	0	60	49	89	68	111	188	105	198
POLAND	96	73	138	133	202	166	118	188	2334	3833	2215	3662	0	0	0	0	11441	9401	7350	6573
PORTUGAL	0	0	0	0	1066	589	1234	583	6	97	25	151	0	0	0	0	1	64	5	63
SPAIN	0	0	0	0	0	433	8	591	2336	1533	3098	1974	60	40	19	23	1563	2888	1064	1769
SWEDEN	0	0	0	0	341	179	475	509	2072	1079	1327	1019	31	31	43	52	417	693	865	732
SWITZERLAND	0	0	0	0	18	791	90	623	83	26	198	126	13	14	24	15	50	31	201	142
TURKEY	0	0	0	0	561	925	640	1037	29301	29374	23921	27578	0	0	0	0	97	984	125	606
USSR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1928	0	1928	11217	0	6563	0	0	9	0	5
YUGOSLAVIA	0	506	0	454	0	1	0	14	212	1684	175	1762	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	+	0	1	0
EUROPE	**2664**	**3974**	**1601**	**3876**	**28000**	**25344**	**59184**	**51472**	**58999**	**66241**	**59370**	**68096**	**13507**	**2547**	**8860**	**2113**	**41006**	**43127**	**51420**	**51341**

See footnotes below.

TABLE 8:
SELECTED U.S. EXPORTS BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION *(Continued)*

COUNTRY	A. CELLULOSIC YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS				B. NONCELLULOSIC TEXTILE YARN				C. NONCELL. INDUSTRIAL YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS				D. CELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW				E. NONCELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW			
	THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS		THOUS POUNDS		THOUS DOLLARS	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
AUSTRALIA	1424	1660	3008	2629	5136	4670	10857	9422	1591	1683	3327	3133	178	240	285	395	4812	3169	7250	4252
BANGLADESH	0	0	0	0	45	75	20	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP. OF	1	0	1	0	35699	110359	37184	108605	860	13930	1240	10687	0	42	0	45	127798	159054	79305	94996
HONG KONG	41	1	52	4	520	2687	941	2515	177	4516	613	3480	2	5	7	45	8115	6838	5189	4190
INDIA	46	0	53	0	126	241	304	388	2389	2624	2308	2970	7	240	3	154	1476	4601	99	3652
INDONESIA	0	0	0	0	305	59	911	135	170	2031	206	2527	15	0	19	0	630	453	1520	312
IRAQ	0	0	0	0	6	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISRAEL	2	11	7	27	2787	4026	2531	4342	5869	3627	4896	3754	6	23	9	23	2040	1915	1360	1579
JAPAN	1	23	3	44	2101	2435	6025	8008	9061	10116	11762	12724	187	233	249	268	3251	2920	6391	8503
JORDAN	0	0	0	0	227	236	199	211	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KOREA, REP. OF	407	361	486	431	349	597	704	1455	479	742	952	1067	1	1	9	2	4430	12431	3065	9072
LEBANON	0	0	0	0	25	0	17	0	7	2	16	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
MALAYSIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	7	0	13	0	575	28	884	44
NEW ZEALAND	5	9	16	15	1319	949	2865	1509	557	459	1178	855	7	51	17	59	385	343	1044	638
PAKISTAN	0	0	0	0	84	139	50	95	75	30	17	20	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	5
PHILIPPINES	28	2	67	7	268	134	904	237	575	787	3640	6704	2908	10	1759	12	3496	3779	4162	5093
QATAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA	0	16	0	47	47	8	66	29	5	37	13	91	4	5	5	6	43	42	91	190
SINGAPORE	0	0	0	0	13	5	50	20	5	123	20	169	5	0	7	0	203	127	301	301
SYRIA	0	0	0	0	151	320	140	240	582	0	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	797	0	637
TAIWAN	1702	7	966	13	11343	3446	11514	3673	2481	2147	2859	2455	71	162	109	145	60495	46387	40968	33332
THAILAND	63	196	87	254	4	3	12	17	2	281	9	380	0	0	0	0	1084	717	823	445
UNIT. ARAB EMIRATES	0	0	0	0	+	0	2	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	164	2
OTHER	0	3	0	4	2	+	3	2	0	2	0	13	1	3	1	5	165	14	213	68
ASIA & OCEANIA	**3720**	**2289**	**4746**	**3475**	**60557**	**130389**	**75318**	**140937**	**24887**	**43137**	**33223**	**51039**	**3399**	**1017**	**2492**	**1163**	**219036**	**243627**	**152830**	**167311**
ALGERIA	0	0	0	0	5657	2178	6015	2125	3	2	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAMEROON	0	0	0	0	127	8	246	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	287	0	229	0
EGYPT	0	0	0	0	4056	2910	5050	3101	55	76	127	130	444	0	235	0	8555	9905	5523	6420
KENYA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	15	0	2	0	3	0	0	306	0	192
MOROCCO	71	0	77	0	69	110	15	67	21	307	18	187	0	0	0	0	383	461	292	309
MOZAMBIQUE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NIGERIA	0	0	0	0	1174	866	2402	1491	50	1	166	2	0	0	0	0	631	0	455	0
SOUTH AFRICA	439	218	645	285	2349	621	3458	874	651	127	1411	347	99	74	90	42	22793	9481	22099	6236
SUDAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	108	12	66	19
TANZANIA	0	0	0	0	361	995	544	1476	8	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TUNISIA	0	0	0	0	110	27	373	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	90	3	61	1
ZAMBIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ZIMBABWE	0	0	0	0	46	0	104	0	42	85	58	84	167	0	63	0	2757	1515	2329	953
OTHER	0	0	0	0	118	239	156	234	+	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
AFRICA	**510**	**218**	**722**	**285**	**14067**	**7954**	**18363**	**9409**	**838**	**599**	**1825**	**760**	**712**	**74**	**391**	**42**	**35604**	**21684**	**31054**	**14133**
GRAND TOTAL	**8833**	**10629**	**10539**	**14379**	**144418**	**199996**	**220827**	**257159**	**98036**	**125807**	**128463**	**156654**	**55972**	**37824**	**39125**	**28081**	**429564**	**416512**	**344456**	**319442**

The commodity numbers are:
A. 309.0110, .2210, 310.0006 & .0026.
B. 310.0008, .0009, .0010, .0014, .0029, .0034, .0040 & .0044.
C. 309.0120, .0140, .0170, .2220, .2270, 310.0027 & .0032.
D. 309.4219 & .4222.
E. 309.3220, .3240, .3250, .3255, .4240, .4242, .4245, .4246 & .4247.

TABLE 9:
U.S. EXPORTS OF MAN-MADE FIBERS

ITEM	COMMODITY NUMBER AS OF 1/1/78	THOUSAND POUNDS					THOUSAND DOLLARS				
		1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
CELLULOSIC FIBERS											
FILAMENT YARN[a]											
TEXTURED	310 0006	357	402	239	129	101	594	655	502	337	298
OTHER[b]	310 0026	23914	21618	15496	8614	10412	27329	24490	16908	10051	13859
MONOFILAMENTS	309 0110	90	15	43	12	79	212	90	135	66	178
STRIPS	309 2210	346	105	40	79	37	273	96	56	85	44
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**24707**	**22140**	**15818**	**8834**	**10629**	**28408**	**25331**	**17601**	**10539**	**14379**
STAPLE+TOW - RAYON	309 4222	55156	63371	40118	53882	35975	39032	41063	27427	37688	25546
STAPLE - ACETATE	309 4219	7004	3642	3093	2090	1849	4323	3277	2677	2337	2535
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**62160**	**67013**	**43211**	**55972**	**37824**	**43355**	**44340**	**30104**	**40025**	**28081**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED	**309.7400**	**2799**	**3193**	**1383**	**1832**	**1207**	**1358**	**1397**	**527**	**1062**	**801**
NONCELLULOSIC FIBERS											
FILAMENT YARN[a]											
NYLON - TEXTURED	310 0008 & 0009	69600	39 9	40008	32268	26894	107096	62179	58366	50916	39982
- HIGH TENACITY[c]	310 0027	57400	48396	55606	66732	69386	72569	57259	65096	62515	72294
- OTHER	310 0029	19424	11789	15580	13155	9357	37980	23987	33591	28217	19373
POLYESTER - TEXTURED	310 0010	236152	182935	64040	79753	135997	286022	227816	80399	93889	140792
- HIGH TENACITY[c]	310 0032	23440	13752	12237	9156	32137	31474	17846	15553	11064	29618
- OTHER[d]	310 0034	11759	10179	3713	5968	8934	13226	10221	6518	8371	9270
OTHER - TEXTURED	310 0014	11751	15652	12631	7673	10495	15085	19147	16139	12040	14470
- OLEFIN	310 0040	2603	1124	806	340	555	3312	1643	1259	485	766
- OTHER	310 0044	5231	3891	3610	5261	7766	21738	19335	20983	26909	32505
MONOFILAMENTS, ALL DENIERS											
NYLON	309 0120	7786	4424	2350	2848	2364	20698	14193	10009	10435	9221
POLYESTER[e]	309 0140	7163	4242	2925	3794	5759	11903	8662	7292	10141	14128
OTHER	309 0170	6560	8185	9930	11047	11955	23244	28295	19101	22912	17491
STRIPS	309 2220 & 2270	4555	2366	3242	4460	4204	6635	4642	5402	11398	13903
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**463424**	**346364**	**226878**	**242455**	**325803**	**650982**	**495225**	**339708**	**349292**	**413813**
STAPLE - NYLON	309 4240	27556	15374	13518	14904	11100	33825	19751	17857	21685	13854
- POLYESTER	309 4242	522681	189584	101255	178903	176697	361110	134073	68307	116843	112222
- ACRYLIC	309 4245	156661	126617	114385	162285	150729	114359	91350	78572	114377	100146
- OLEFIN	309 4246	1758	7616	3698	4368	6974	1491	3663	2746	4088	5754
- OTHER	309 4247	18033	15410	11974	8555	10695	31381	29336	28331	30566	35401
GROUPED FILAMENTS											
NYLON	309 3220	4561	4966	3425	3048	1948	9625	11281	8766	8947	4635
POLYESTER[f]	309 3240	26777	28133	28890	23693	29155	28444	28075	25808	20749	23335
ACRYLIC	309 3250 & 3255	32655	23322	34621	33807	29214	25940	19341	28101	27202	24095
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**790682**	**411022**	**311766**	**429563**	**416512**	**608175**	**336870**	**253488**	**344457**	**319442**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED											
NYLON	309 7620	13938	11806	11841	12465	5601	8903	7648	6093	6494	3048
POLYESTER	309 7630	54117	50903	40473	57371	46404	20814	21091	16090	22417	17722
ACRYLIC	309 7640	4795	1713	2025	4620	4804	1552	610	773	1365	1286
OTHER	309 7660	34415	21654	16942	15203	18836	13433	10206	6583	6385	6818
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**107265**	**86076**	**71281**	**89659**	**75645**	**44702**	**39555**	**29539**	**36661**	**28874**
TOTAL MAN-MADE FIBER ABOVE		**1451037**	**935808**	**670117**	**828115**	**867620**	**1374980**	**942718**	**675967**	**782036**	**805390**
TEXTILE GLASS FIBER	309.2700 & 9700	38934	43714	39413	58101	58328	41642	39861	29553	56385	57787
GRAND TOTAL ABOVE		**1489971**	**979522**	**709530**	**886216**	**925948**	**1416622**	**982579**	**705520**	**838421**	**863177**

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau Report EM546.

a. Includes thrown, singles and plied yarn.
b. Includes an undetermined amount of rayon tire cord and cord fabric.
c. Includes an undetermined amount of noncellulosic tire cord and tire cord fabric.
d. Includes zero twist yarns.
e. These data are obviously incorrect because of misclassification. Most of these poundages should be included with filament yarn.

TABLE 10:
U.S. IMPORTS OF MAN-MADE FIBERS

ITEM	COMMODITY NUMBER AS OF 1/1/78	THOUSAND POUNDS					THOUSAND DOLLARS				
		1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
CELLULOSIC FIBERS											
YARN - SINGLES											
TEXTURED	310.0106 & .0206	309	561	256	1571	190	505	857	290	940	267
OTHER	310.0130 & .0230[a]	10373	6437	7843	8245	12951	15748	10381	12365	12924	19129
MONOFILAMENTS	309.0310 & .0610	4	2	24	5	19	32	10	36	20	44
STRIPS, $1/LB & UNDER	309.2000*	33	27	570	160	763	28	15	396	88	624
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**10719**	**7027**	**8693**	**9981**	**13923**	**16313**	**11263**	**13087**	**13972**	**20064**
STAPLE	309.4320 & .4325	14626	11939	12752	15388	11286	10348	8383	8434	10320	6844
GROUPED FILAMENTS	309.3010 & .3110	2137	1469	836	1605	1022	2211	2342	1312	2619	1471
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**16763**	**13408**	**13588**	**16993**	**12308**	**12559**	**10725**	**9746**	**12939**	**8315**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED	**309.6500 & .7510[b]**	**519**	**395**	**277**	**530**	**479**	**291**	**170**	**164**	**323**	**283**
NONCELLULOSIC FIBERS											
YARN - SINGLES											
TEXTURED - NYLON	310.0109 & .0209	3827	4744	5123	17966	32352	7103	8157	8610	26141	35244
- POLYESTER	310.0110 & .0210	768	510	2182	10806	16642	939	563	2403	10513	14653
- OTHER	310.0114 & .0214	492	4340	7659	8939	14723	895	5580	8986	10536	15732
OTHER - NYLON	310.0149 & .0249	3976	5533	14745	30192	18350	6147	7941	17994	39222	23747
- POLYESTER	310.0150 & .0250	5441	5263	13629	15698	16728	7082	7584	17705	21121	20624
- OTHER	310.0170 & .0270[c]	1595	1639	2739	2468	2520	3151	4854	6730	4139	4203
MONOFILAMENTS	309.0200 & .0330[d]	2615	1497	1737	2857	2059	6515	5053	4721	8817	5537
STRIPS, OVER $1/LB	309.2100 & .2500*	220	306	553	1066	1187	1547	2069	3952	5844	5886
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**18934**	**23832**	**48367**	**89992**	**104561**	**33379**	**41801**	**71101**	**126333**	**125626**
STAPLE - NYLON	309.4338	23576	11503	27648	38281	38544	25067	10488	23588	36579	34292
- POLYESTER	309.4342	6649	7257	21502	22890	26800	4289	4791	11912	13272	15841
- ACRYLIC	309.4345	10465	7851	13644	13541	17611	10179	6777	12052	12568	16396
- OLEFIN	309.4346	1134	627	1195	2213	5732	638	638	911	1630	3879
- OTHER	309.4355	10666	10853	9078	15412	25516	7798	6744	7010	11326	21283
GROUPED FILAMENTS - NYLON	309.3030 & .3130[f]	2175	7620	19085	23129	29514	2625	11385	27142	33524	40769
- POLYESTER	309.3040 & .3140[g]	336	56	2035	7104	4980	541	160	2268	6569	4715
- ACRYLIC	309.3050 & .3150[h]	3434	4438	6642	6929	7518	7181	8313	13631	15116	16548
- OTHER	309.3065 & .3165[i]	2082	882	663	1660	3231	2965	1247	742	2371	4313
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**60517**	**51087**	**101492**	**131159**	**159440**	**61283**	**50543**	**99256**	**132955**	**158036**
WASTE, NOT ADVANCED											
NYLON	309.6625	25255	22190	26745	31205	27162	8358	8275	11494	13876	10793
POLYESTER	309.6630	18111	11187	13004	8042	7149	3640	1944	2503	1325	1143
ACRYLIC	309.6645	2872	932	304	39	283	999	274	76	8	48
OTHER	309.6660	2969	2530	2724	4074	2072	844	689	1000	2027	607
NOILS & GARNETTED FIBERS	309.6000 & .7000*	85	55	232	458	155	54	34	82	254	101
OTHER WASTE, ADVANCED	309.7525 - .7555	536	851	3080	6729	3852	366	471	1219	1912	890
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**49828**	**37745**	**46089**	**50547**	**40673**	**14261**	**11687**	**16374**	**19402**	**13582**
TOTAL MAN-MADE FIBER ABOVE		**157280**	**133494**	**218506**	**299202**	**331390**	**138086**	**126189**	**209728**	**305924**	**325886**
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER TOPS, YARN & THREAD											
YARN - PLIED											
TEXTURED - CELLULOSIC	310.1106	25	2	1	1	1	41	10	4	7	7
- NONCELLULOSIC	310.1015* & .1109[j]	3385	5315	8110	12223	9270	5774	7806	11709	17370	9955
OTHER -CELLULOSIC	310.1030 & .1135[e]	21	146	93	173	390	108	240	351	723	937
- NONCELLULOSIC	310.1050 & .1070[k]	373	979	2054	2763	4032	763	1789	3594	4447	6795
SPUN YARN - CELLULOSIC	310.4005 & .4030[l]	659	325	1091	1724	1739	1522	756	1975	2224	2100
- OTHER	310.4015 & .4027[l]	18599	22056	31487	35583	34260	32603	40264	51623	58127	54897
OTHER YARNS - NES, INCL. CHENILLE	310.6029 - .8000	4117	3107	2955	7517	8912	12852	9649	10969	16210	15640
HANDWORK YARNS & SEWING THREAD	310.9000 - .9140*	2797	2277	2654	5445	9283	10681	9170	11898	18111	28052
SLIVER, TOPS & ROVING	309.9000	3622	2626	4755	4544	1941	2801	2977	5193	4792	2334
TEXTILE GLASS FIBER	309.2800 & .2900*	18212	14100	20020	23083	34690	12914	10114	13878	19203	27850
GRAND TOTAL ABOVE		**209090**	**184427**	**291726**	**392258**	**435908**	**218145**	**208964**	**320922**	**447138**	**475353**

SOURCE: U.S.Census Bureau Report IM146.
NES - Not elsewhere specified.

* These items are not reported by the Census as cellulosic vs. noncellulosic. Any separation between cellulosic and noncellulosic is estimated, based mainly on average declared value.

a. Also includes 310.0510 & .0610.
b. Also includes 309.6615.
c. Also includes 310.0530, .0550, .0630 & .0650.
d. Also includes 309.0340, .0365, .0500, .0630, .0640 & .0665.
e. There may be some acetate yarn in these data, but the Census figures do not permit a segregation.
f. Also includes 310.1110 & .1114.
g. Also includes 310.2010 & .2110.
h. Also includes 310.1150, .1155, .1170, .2030, .2050, .2130 & .2150.
i. Also includes 310.5005 & .5030.
j. Also includes 310.4046, .4047, .4050, .5015, .5046, .5047, .5049 & .5051.
k. Chiefly roving. Also includes 309.9800 & .9900.
l. Also includes 309.3200.
m. Also includes 309.3340.
n. Also includes 309.3350.
o. Also includes 309.3365.
p. Also includes 310.9300 & .9500.

MAN-MADE FIBER TRADE BALANCE IMPROVES

The U.S. man-made fiber balance of trade rose significantly in December as the net-export balance of trade increased to 41.1 million pounds, up 20.5% from the 34.1 million pound export balance in November. Declining imports and rising exports of man-made fiber resulted in the increase of the trade balance. Imports of fiber totaled 23.1 million pounds, down 18.7% from the 28.4 million pounds imported in November. Exports of fiber in December amounted to 64.2 million pounds, up 2.7% from the 62.5 million pounds exported in November. The December trade balance is almost 39% below that of December 1984. This month's exports are 28.3% below the level of last December, while imports are up slightly by 2.2% during the same period.

DECEMBER DETAIL

The net-export balance in December in **Noncellulosic Yarn+Monofilaments** improved slightly by 1% to 20.5 million pounds. In December, the balance of trade for **Noncellulosic Staple** rose significantly by 165.5%, as imports dropped by almost 31% and exports rose by nearly 20%.

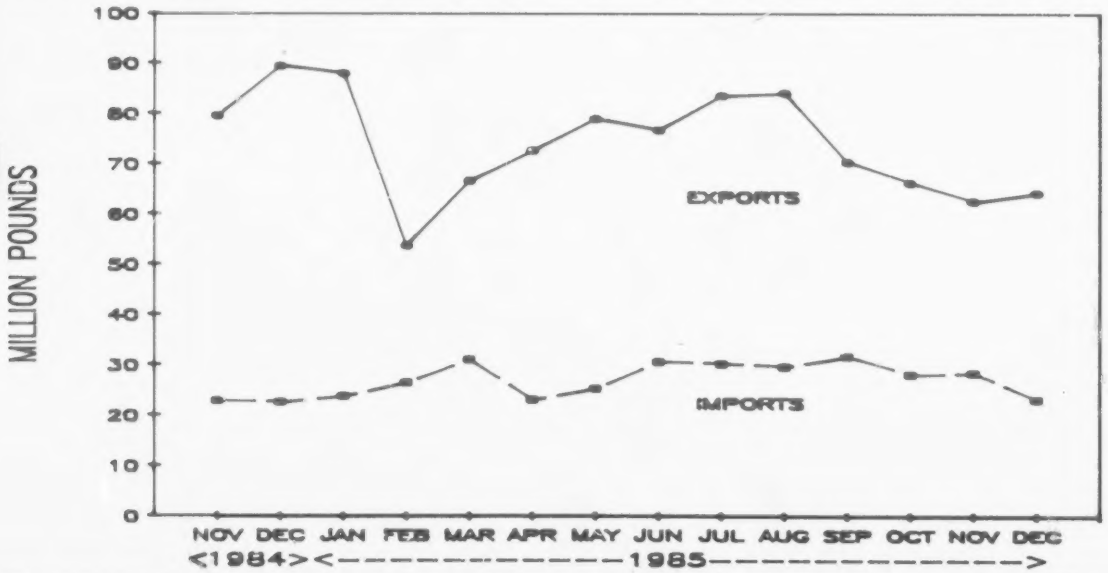
The balance of trade for **Cellulosic Staple+Tow** declined by 41.2% in December to 1.0 million pounds.

The **Cellulosic Yarn+Monofilaments** balance of trade jumped by 200% in December, as imports fell 9.7% and exports decreased by 24.6%.

NOTE ABOUT MANUFACTURES TRADE DATA

Due to substantial revisions and additions to the U.S. Census TSUSA commodity number system, there will not be a listing of trade data for manufactures this month. As soon as changes are implemented, the manufactures trade data will again appear in the ORGANON.

GRAPH 3:
IMPORTS VS EXPORTS OF MAN—MADE FIBER



GRAPH 4:
MAN—MADE FIBER MONTHLY TRADE BALANCE

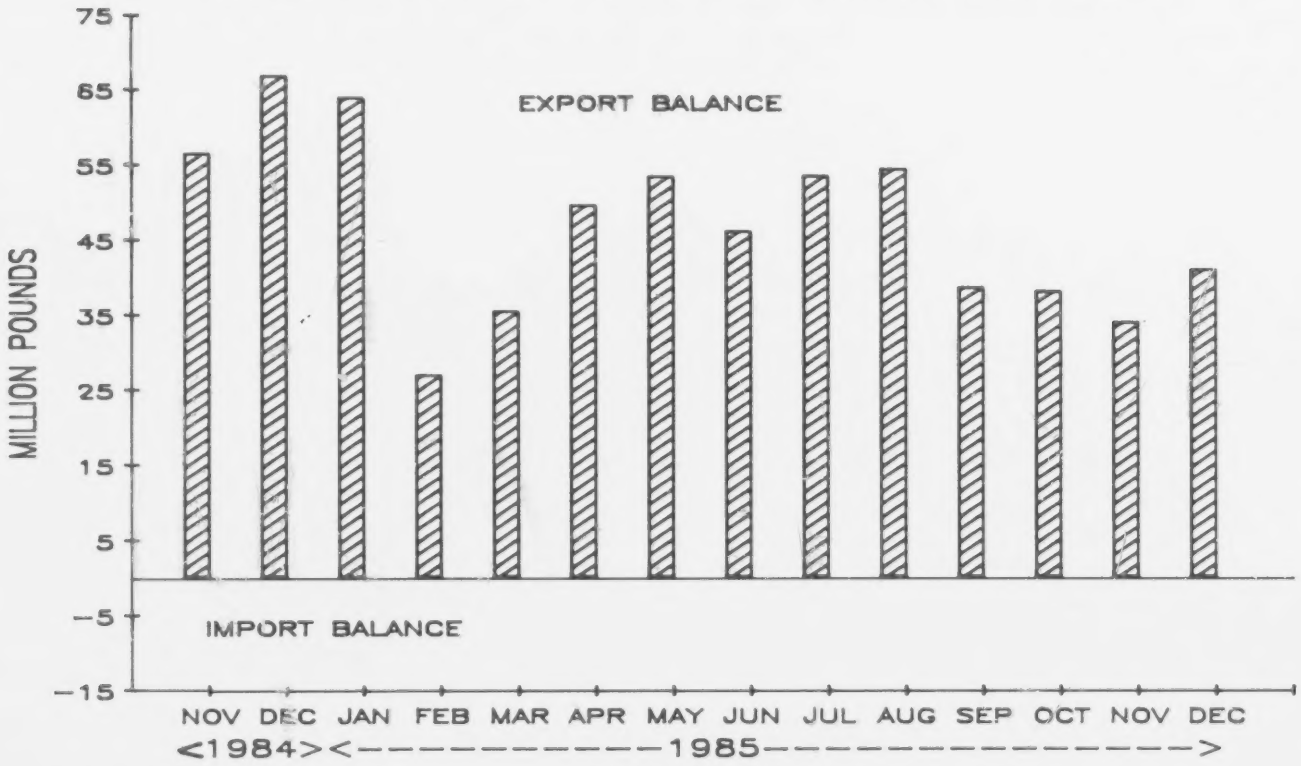


TABLE 11:
MAN-MADE FIBER MONTHLY TRADE BALANCE DETAIL
MILLION POUNDS

COMMODITY	1984		1985											
	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
CELLULOSIC YARN+MONOFILAMENTS	0.1 I	1.2 I	0.3 I	0.4 E	0.3 E	+	0.1 I	0.8 I	+	0.4 I	1.1 I	0.8 I	0.1 I	0.3 I
CELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW	1.1 E	3.1 E	1.7 E	0.8 E	2.2 E	3.7 E	1.5 E	4.4 E	0.9 E	4.3 E	1.1 E	2.4 E	1.7 E	1.0 E
NONCELLULOSIC YARN+MONOFILAMENTS	14.7 E	19.6 E	14.5 E	12.2 E	10.2 E	18.9 E	20.9 E	22.4 E	21.0 E	23.2 E	19.3 E	18.1 E	20.3 E	20.5 E
NONCELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW	38.7 E	40.4 E	45.0 E	16.6 E	23.4 E	24.8 E	29.0 E	17.2 E	28.0 E	22.5 E	16.3 E	14.1 E	5.5 E	14.6 E
CELLULOSIC WASTE	0.2 E	0.1 E	+	+	0.2 E	0.1 E	0.1 E	0.1 E	+	+	0.1 E	+	+	+
NONCELLULOSIC WASTE	2.1 E	5.0 E	3.2 E	2.9 I	0.7 I	2.2 E	2.1 E	2.9 E	3.7 E	4.9 E	3.0 E	4.4 E	6.7 E	5.3 E
TOTAL	56.7 E	67.0 E	64.1 E	27.1 E	35.6 E	49.7 E	53.5 E	46.2 E	52.6 E	54.5 E	38.7 E	38.2 E	34.1 E	41.1 E

I means net-import balance.
E means net-export balance.

TABLE 12:
U.S. EXPORTS OF MAN-MADE FIBERS

THOUSAND POUNDS

ITEM	COMMODITY NUMBER AS OF 1/1/78	1985 JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR-TO-DATE 1985	1984
CELLULOSIC FIBERS															
FILAMENT YARN[a]															
TEXTURED	310.0006	0	4	30	4	2	7	2	15	+	5	21	11	101	129
OTHER[b]	310.0026	811	1175	971	735	697	816	841	873	535	771	1244	943	10412	8614
MONOFILAMENTS	309.0110	0	0	0	60	4	0	0	9	0	6	0	+	79	12
STRIPS	309.2210	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	37	79
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**811**	**1186**	**1001**	**799**	**703**	**823**	**843**	**897**	**565**	**782**	**1265**	**954**	**10629**	**8834**
STAPLE+TOW-RAYON	309.4222	2925	2042	3375	4870	2144	4517	1486	5258	1713	3434	2368	1843	35975	53882
STAPLE-ACETATE	309.4219	112	133	140	133	70	295	203	101	166	138	148	210	1849	2090
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**3037**	**2175**	**3515**	**5003**	**2214**	**4812**	**1689**	**5359**	**1879**	**3572**	**2516**	**2053**	**37824**	**55972**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED	309.7400	**72**	**119**	**161**	**113**	**137**	**141**	**94**	**48**	**114**	**69**	**53**	**86**	**1207**	**1832**
NONCELLULOSIC FIBERS															
YARN - SINGLES															
NYLON - TEXTURED	310.0008 & .0009	2478	2450	2480	2673	1961	1467	2065	3201	2640	2472	1764	1843	26894	32268
- HIGH TENACITY[c]	310.0027	4921	6044	6255	5527	7101	4516	4898	5777	7480	5838	6412	4617	69386	66732
- OTHER	310.0029	883	1002	954	824	610	600	584	657	842	870	731	800	9357	13155
POLYESTER-TEXTURED	310.0010	7465	5968	5803	13481	10315	16481	15935	13323	9756	10519	13058	13893	135997	79753
- HIGH TENACITY[c]	310.0032	865	795	641	946	4285	4748	3641	4365	4330	3308	1675	2538	32137	9156
- OTHER	310.0034[d]	2458	102	422	295	1114	759	382	781	822	622	524	653	8934	5968
OTHER - TEXTURED	310.0014	264	588	1152	258	509	636	1154	1024	1365	658	1068	1819	10495	7673
- OLEFIN	309.0040	52	5	61	18	47	67	49	63	28	38	53	74	555	340
- OTHER	310.0044	557	572	607	711	655	1741	810	394	358	277	575	509	7766	5261
MONOFILAMENTS, ALL DENIERS															
NYLON	309.0120	231	195	189	136	288	237	135	176	205	280	184	108	2364	2848
POLYESTER[e]	309.0140	667	434	470	472	533	501	403	720	440	353	375	391	5759	3794
OTHER	309.0170	1060	996	908	1335	894	706	422	1132	1123	1263	1580	536	11955	11047
STRIPS	309.2220 & .2270	427	339	346	316	296	646	335	168	290	573	236	232	4204	4460
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**22328**	**19490**	**20288**	**26392**	**28608**	**33105**	**30813**	**31781**	**29679**	**27071**	**28235**	**28013**	**325803**	**242455**
STAPLE - NYLON	309.4240	1180	471	783	1179	490	992	795	1322	969	1191	916	812	11100	14904
- POLYESTER	309.4242	23227	9880	18988	16125	22416	18365	17503	15824	11994	8141	6773	7461	176697	178903
- ACRYLIC	309.4245	21821	12541	11117	11634	10587	5923	17806	13538	11970	12154	8433	13205	150729	162285
- OLEFIN	309.4246	1039	261	620	442	750	791	137	576	972	447	458	481	6974	4368
- OTHER	309.4247	755	875	890	775	1217	944	821	1162	550	1282	815	609	10695	8555
GROUPED FILAMENTS															
NYLON	309.3220	211	95	51	142	24	390	142	295	114	122	169	193	1948	3048
POLYESTER[d]	309.3240	3251	1302	2292	2519	3107	2775	3484	3062	2209	1760	1793	1601	29155	23693
ACRYLIC	309.3250 & .3255	3372	2291	1957	2543	3648	1600	2974	2563	2293	2471	2148	1354	29214	33807
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**54856**	**27716**	**36698**	**35359**	**42239**	**31780**	**43862**	**38342**	**31071**	**27568**	**21505**	**25716**	**416512**	**429563**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED															
- NYLON	309.7620	303	196	237	297	345	159	200	743	1393	582	472	674	5601	12465
- POLYESTER	309.7630	4721	2234	3165	3800	3530	4091	4135	4105	3611	3923	5886	3203	46404	57371
- ACRYLIC	309.7640	419	214	716	111	176	391	298	810	169	854	305	341	4804	4620
- OTHER	309.7660	1405	342	873	803	1012	1380	1907	2020	1852	1804	2241	3197	18836	15203
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**6848**	**2986**	**4991**	**5011**	**5063**	**6021**	**6540**	**7678**	**7025**	**7163**	**8904**	**7415**	**75845**	**89659**
TOTAL MAN-MADE FIBER ABOVE		**87952**	**53672**	**66654**	**72677**	**78964**	**76682**	**83641**	**84105**	**70333**	**66225**	**62478**	**64237**	**867620**	**828115**
TEXTILE GLASS FIBER	309.2700 & .9700	7000	3868	7463	5183	5044	5110	4786	4232	4100	4241	4094	3207	58328	58101
GRAND TOTAL ABOVE		**94952**	**57540**	**74117**	**77860**	**84008**	**81792**	**88427**	**88337**	**74433**	**70466**	**66572**	**67444**	**925948**	**886216**

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau Report EM546.

a. Includes thrown, singles and plied yarn.

b. Includes an undetermined amount of rayon tire cord and cord fabric.

c. Includes an undetermined amount of noncellulosic tire cord and cord fabric.

d. Includes zero twist yarns.

e. These data are obviously incorrect because of misclassification. Most of these poundages should be included with filament yarn.

TABLE 13:
U.S. MAN-MADE FIBER IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION

THOUSAND POUNDS

ITEM	COMMODITY NUMBER AS OF 1/1/78	1985 JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR TO DATE 1985	1984
CELLULOSIC FIBERS															
YARN - SINGLES															
TEXTURED	310.0106 & .0206	0	0	38	41	0	0	0	37	16	44	14	0	190	1571
OTHER	310.0130 & .0230*	1105	751	697	726	748	1547	723	1164	1622	1483	1222	1163	12951	8245
MONOFILAMENTS	309.0310 & .0610	0	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	19	5
STRIPS, $1/LB & UNDER	309.2000*	5	36	4	79	42	79	160	101	66	51	98	42	763	160
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**1110**	**804**	**740**	**846**	**790**	**1626**	**883**	**1302**	**1705**	**1578**	**1334**	**1205**	**13923**	**9981**
STAPLE	309.4320 & .4325	1319	1255	1255	1186	610	408	745	877	761	1042	836	992	11286	15388
GROUPED FILAMENTS	309.3010 & .3110	62	163	58	122	106	29	77	193	44	117	1	50	1022	1605
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**1381**	**1418**	**1313**	**1308**	**716**	**437**	**822**	**1070**	**805**	**1159**	**837**	**1042**	**12308**	**16993**
WASTE, ADVANCED & NOT ADVANCED	309.6500 & .7510[b]	**96**	**73**	**0**	**41**	**0**	**0**	**78**	**0**	**0**	**44**	**67**	**80**	**479**	**530**
NONCELLULOSIC FIBERS															
YARN - SINGLES															
TEXTURED - NYLON	310.0109 & .0209	2115	1670	2496	1645	992	4129	3940	3744	4263	3886	2355	1117	32352	17966
- POLYESTER	310.0110 & .0210	654	758	2492	1531	1834	1670	1394	1065	1848	1061	1245	1090	16642	10806
- OTHER	310.0114 & .0214	1157	1238	1081	816	1002	1263	1265	1031	1018	1391	1418	2043	14723	8939
OTHER - NYLON	310.0149 & .0249	2037	1819	1450	2132	1950	1961	1783	1219	727	1174	1039	1059	18350	30192
- POLYESTER	310.0150 & .0250	1336	1326	2183	838	1483	1291	1017	1263	2112	1113	1297	1469	16728	15698
- OTHER	310.0170 & .0270[c]	179	243	140	182	281	108	136	75	107	125	480	464	2520	2468
MONOFILAMENTS	309.0200 & .0330[d]	240	133	190	238	118	196	204	103	241	154	90	152	2059	2857
STRIPS, OVER $1/LB	309.2100 & .2500*	52	118	59	112	72	142	111	111	133	122	50	105	1187	1066
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**7770**	**7305**	**10091**	**7494**	**7732**	**10760**	**9850**	**8611**	**10449**	**9026**	**7974**	**7499**	**104561**	**89992**
STAPLE - NYLON	309.4338	2329	1897	4525	2186	2030	3786	4667	5085	2733	3553	4148	1605	38544	38281
- POLYESTER	309.4342	1623	2018	1854	2551	2736	2382	2233	2149	2880	2050	1936	2388	26800	22890
- ACRYLIC	309.4345	1392	967	1073	1089	1102	1385	1483	2073	2388	1115	2119	1425	17611	13541
- OLEFIN	309.4346	38	169	270	355	583	796	472	841	737	733	367	371	5732	2213
- OTHER	309.4355	1838	1645	2997	894	2464	2233	1949	2155	2570	1946	2935	1890	25516	15412
GROUPED FILAMENTS															
NYLON	309.3030 & .3130[l]	1742	3045	1957	2013	3112	2351	3233	2381	1865	2931	2971	1913	29514	23129
POLYESTER	309.3040 & .3140[m]	372	335	188	270	160	668	921	464	519	325	380	378	4980	7104
ACRYLIC	309.3050 & .3150[n]	440	832	273	916	935	761	530	500	867	404	190	870	7518	6929
OTHER	309.3065 & .3165[o]	70	152	104	293	83	266	195	241	166	450	954	257	3231	1660
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**9844**	**11060**	**13241**	**10567**	**13205**	**14628**	**15683**	**15889**	**14725**	**13507**	**16000**	**11097**	**159446**	**131159**
WASTE, NOT ADVANCED															
- NYLON	309.6625	3094	4321	3549	1975	1905	1757	1943	1888	2742	1807	1112	1069	27162	31205
- POLYESTER	309.6630	445	950	1386	435	474	1001	391	259	414	332	568	494	7149	8042
- ACRYLIC	309.6645	+	0	10	20	58	0	0	53	61	61	20	0	283	39
- OTHER	309.6660	12	197	169	37	37	291	126	328	323	174	195	183	2072	4074
NOILS & GARNETTED FIBERS	309.6000 & .7000*	0	0	62	31	0	0	0	31	0	0	31	0	155	458
OTHER WASTE, ADVANCED	309.7525 - .7555	44	368	497	334	445	66	407	177	451	414	244	405	3852	6729
SUBTOTAL ABOVE		**3595**	**5836**	**5673**	**2832**	**2919**	**3115**	**2867**	**2736**	**3991**	**2788**	**2170**	**2151**	**40673**	**50547**
TOTAL MAN-MADE ABOVE	—	**23796**	**26496**	**31058**	**23088**	**25362**	**30566**	**30183**	**29608**	**31675**	**28102**	**28382**	**23074**	**331390**	**299202**
OTHER MAN-MADE FIBER TOPS, YARN & THREAD															
YARN - PLIED															
TEXTURED - CELLULOSIC	310.1106	0	0	+	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
- NONCELLULOSIC	310.1015* & .1109[f]	1106	665	740	248	365	747	1052	910	1203	960	708	566	9270	12223
OTHER - CELLULOSIC	310.1030 & .1135[g]	48	18	17	6	27	130	17	68	+	55	3	1	390	173
- NONCELLULOSIC	310.1050 & .1070[h]	346	503	337	392	894	480	340	404	116	48	59	113	4032	2763
SPUN YARN - CELLULOSIC	310.4005 & .4030[j]	83	143	119	110	168	143	160	150	253	97	232	81	1739	1724
- OTHER	310.4015 & .4027[j]	2643	1623	2810	2749	4479	3393	2901	2315	4283	2514	2278	2272	34260	35583
OTHER YARNS - NES, INCL CHENILLE	310.6029 - .8000	682	296	626	250	1126	1143	668	832	1096	722	899	572	8912	7517
HANDWORK YARNS & SEWING THREAD	310.9000 - .9140[p]	451	462	739	833	851	780	742	674	995	767	1132	857	9283	5445
SLIVER, TOPS & ROVING	309.9000	205	241	410	131	227	165	149	44	111	78	89	91	1941	4544
TEXTILE GLASS FIBER	309.2800 & .2900*	2454	1496	3565	3438	2651	4358	2589	2727	3063	1975	3136	3238	34690	23083
GRAND TOTAL ABOVE		**31814**	**31943**	**40421**	**31246**	**36150**	**41905**	**38801**	**37732**	**42795**	**35318**	**36918**	**30865**	**435908**	**392258**

SOURCE: U.S Census Bureau Report IM145X.

NES - Not elsewhere specified.

\+ Means a nominal poundage.

* These items are not reported by the Census as cellulosic vs. noncellulosic. Any separation between cellulosic and noncellulosic is estimated, based mainly on average declared value.

a. Also includes 310.0510 & .0610.
b. Also includes 309.6615.
c. Also includes 310.0530, .0550, .0630 & .0650.
d. Also includes 309.0340, .0365, .0500, .0630, .0640 & .0665.
e. There may be some acetate yarn in these data, but the Census figures do not permit a segregation.
f. Also includes 310.1110 & .1114.
g. Also includes 310.2010 & .2110.
h. Also includes 310.1150, .1155, .1170, .2030, .2050, .2130 & .2150.
i. Also includes 310.5005 & .5030.
j. Also includes 310.4046, .4047, .4050, .5015, .5046, .5047, .5049 & .5051.
k. Chiefly roving. Also includes 309.9800 & .9900.
l. Also includes 309.3200.
m. Also includes 309.3340.
n. Also includes 309.3350.
o. Also includes 309.3365.
p. Also includes 310.9300 & .9500.

TABLE 14:
SELECTED U.S. MAN-MADE FIBER IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

THOUSAND POUNDS

ITEM & COUNTRY	1985												YEAR TO DATE	
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	1985	1984
CELLULOSIC YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS														
CANADA	120	131	140	185	199	256	138	293	284	310	272	258	2586	2391
MEXICO	33	40	36	138	64	183	122	81	222	176	94	119	1308	784
FRANCE	27	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	10	97	387
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	686	424	358	169	382	645	360	547	729	412	510	454	5676	4594
NETHERLANDS	77	76	84	145	36	209	101	128	130	200	103	84	1373	545
JAPAN	96	73	10	66	9	58	0	85	83	54	11	111	656	580
REP. OF KOREA	0	0	0	22	9	130	0	80	120	180	80	20	641	270
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES[a]	71	60	112	91	91	145	162	88	107	246	264	149	1586	430
TOTAL CELL. YARN	**1110**	**804**	**740**	**846**	**790**	**1626**	**883**	**1302**	**1705**	**1578**	**1334**	**1205**	**13923**	**9981**
CELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW														
CANADA	788	662	581	548	522	348	556	545	649	516	661	947	7303	8392
AUSTRIA	62	88	19	20	0	20	0	153	0	178	114	0	654	1828
SWEDEN	314	368	271	595	1	0	189	90	0	0	0	0	1828	3533
UNITED KINGDOM	162	268	180	53	52	62	47	144	81	115	1	50	1215	1502
JAPAN	20	32	59	92	91	5	29	100	68	77	0	45	618	1449
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES[b]	35	0	223	0	50	2	1	38	7	273	61	0	690	289
TOTAL CELL. STAPLE+TOW	**1381**	**1418**	**1313**	**1308**	**716**	**437**	**822**	**1070**	**805**	**1159**	**837**	**1042**	**12308**	**16993**
NONCELLULOSIC YARN, MONOFIL & STRIPS														
CANADA	962	716	939	1085	1038	1507	1924	2334	1160	1599	1567	281	15112	16961
COSTA RICA	0	0	30	0	7	31	1	15	168	47	40	601	940	540
MEXICO	624	588	923	566	435	1099	766	687	471	681	925	880	8645	14096
AUSTRIA	83	109	89	126	43	44	31	54	35	117	98	37	866	376
BELGIUM	205	454	949	519	540	1084	642	404	747	419	296	1300	7559	776
FRANCE	682	441	320	314	104	471	375	546	519	335	310	210	4627	3368
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	1676	1879	2645	1170	1639	1308	1368	739	1392	1021	783	777	16397	15989
ITALY	1528	911	925	258	529	2020	1581	1594	1027	1514	811	608	13306	9382
NETHERLANDS	93	1	37	54	98	79	136	53	91	19	239	4	904	646
SPAIN	1	0	+	0	2	1	0	2	+	7	0	0	13	395
SWITZERLAND	35	26	32	14	32	26	10	127	548	876	712	125	2563	461
UNITED KINGDOM	591	612	807	575	638	629	517	330	246	520	544	466	6475	4924
ISRAEL	78	274	98	181	286	278	142	29	363	181	256	206	2372	1779
JAPAN	584	793	473	875	724	462	475	332	277	818	407	479	6699	14619
REP. OF KOREA	3	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	20	8	1	9	49	296
TAIWAN	9	1	21	19	33	38	30	8	59	63	49	1	331	536
ROMANIA	88	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	44	0	0	0	154	551
SOUTH AFRICA	286	209	1618	986	1189	1260	902	966	1889	633	871	655	11464	3229
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES[c]	242	290	184	748	372	423	949	391	1393	168	65	860	6085	1068
TOTAL N.C. YARN	**7770**	**7305**	**10091**	**7494**	**7732**	**10760**	**9850**	**8611**	**10449**	**9026**	**7974**	**7499**	**104561**	**89992**
NONCELLULOSIC STAPLE+TOW														
BRAZIL	278	415	935	0	670	536	55	264	72	24	0	0	3249	1464
CANADA	1640	2153	1296	2287	2591	2214	2085	2626	2439	2394	1208	1454	24387	14182
COSTA RICA	86	330	187	260	144	189	400	221	329	242	176	73	2637	2359
MEXICO	1111	433	772	345	420	953	623	587	970	455	568	1353	8590	17598
BELGIUM	127	85	12	67	18	20	18	57	59	15	6	+	484	440
FRANCE	920	1032	923	621	392	656	1177	1041	616	566	1196	575	9715	4669
GERMANY, FED. REP. OF	1656	1970	1670	1456	2367	2402	3090	2897	2683	3669	4172	1732	29764	30620
ITALY	527	411	2448	481	506	1639	2162	2475	1313	1534	1976	1133	16605	13769
NETHERLANDS	74	27	67	29	32	3	40	33	27	32	12	23	399	644
SWITZERLAND	18	146	11	71	19	40	22	14	21	35	6	0	403	365
UNITED KINGDOM	740	1287	879	847	1619	1387	1380	1133	778	889	1625	961	13525	15455
ISRAEL	0	1	55	77	127	262	95	150	65	126	177	97	1232	189
JAPAN	1154	1247	1567	1982	2289	2345	1693	2628	2682	1728	2229	1533	23077	14235
REP. OF KOREA	37	170	165	928	475	346	317	345	579	385	249	579	4575	460
TAIWAN	1301	1033	2115	865	1290	1354	2199	1313	1661	1021	1933	1453	17538	11176
ROMANIA	83	88	95	36	29	99	136	29	201	80	137	29	1042	2089
SOUTH AFRICA	49	131	0	25	57	24	27	28	83	52	116	0	592	505
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES[d]	43	101	44	190	160	159	164	48	147	260	214	102	1632	940
TOTAL N.C. STAPLE+TOW	**9844**	**11060**	**13241**	**10567**	**13205**	**14628**	**15683**	**15889**	**14725**	**13507**	**16000**	**11097**	**159446**	**131159**

+ Means a nominal poundage.

Other countries supplying 1985 poundages are:

a. Australia 1, Austria 22, Belgium 47, Brazil 730, Egypt 20, Hong Kong 12, Ireland 147, Israel 49, Italy 8, China, PRC 6, Sweden 10, Taiwan 94, Thailand 36, United Kingdom 404.

b. Belgium 3, Brazil 1, Germany, Fed. Rep. of 105, Finland 79, France 14, Hong Kong 2, Italy 43, Mexico 259, Netherlands 3, Romania 16, Taiwan 165.

c. Argentina 41, Australia 1696, Brazil 233, Chile 84, Denmark 144, German Dem. Rep. 24, Hong Kong 4, Hungary 23, Iran 51, Ireland 218, Lebanon +, Morocco 55, Norway 204, Portugal 2, China, PRC 2, Singapore 95, Solomon Islands 10, Sweden 194, Turkey 47, Yugoslavia 2958.

d. Australia 269, Austria 241, Denmark 118, Finland 307, Gabon 42, Hong Kong 49, Iceland 35, India 21, Ireland 335, Jordan 16, Kiribat 29, Philippines +, Portugal +, Spain 1, Sweden 35, Turkey 8, Yugoslavia 126.

TABLE 15:
SELECTED U.S. MONTHLY TEXTILE FIBER DATA

MILLION POUNDS

ITEM	1986 JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR TO DATE[a] 1986	1985
						TOTAL SHIPMENTS[b]								
MAN-MADE FIBER DATA[c]														
YARN+MONOFILAMENTS[d]														
CELLULOSIC YARN	**17.8**												**17.8**	**17.3**
NYLON[e] - INDUSTRIAL[f]	26.2												26.2	32.1
- CARPET	69.4												69.4	57.1
- TEXTILE[k]	30.7												30.7	33.1
POLYESTER - INDUSTRIAL[f]	28.2												28.2	26.4
- LOW DENIER INDUSTRIAL[g]	1.9												1.9	1.6
- TEXTILE	75.6												75.6	69.5
OLEFIN[h]	75.0												75.0	73.5
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE[i]	**307.0**												**307.0**	**293.3**
STAPLE+TOW+FIBERFILL[j]														
RAYON	**35.0**												**35.0**	**29.0**
NYLON[e]	70.5												70.5	70.5
ACRYLIC+MODACRYLIC	49.1												49.1	51.5
POLYESTER	179.0												179.0	162.4
OLEFIN+VINYON	25.2												25.2	21.4
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE	**323.8**												**323.8**	**305.8**
						END-OF-MONTH STOCK								
YARN+MONOFILAMENTS														
CELLULOSIC YARN	**13.0**												**13.0**	**18.2**
NYLON[e] - INDUSTRIAL[f]	23.8												23.8	28.8
- CARPET	55.4												55.4	68.0
- TEXTILE[k]	49.0												49.0	49.3
POLYESTER - INDUSTRIAL[f]	25.1												25.1	24.3
- LOW DENIER INDUSTRIAL[g]	3.3												3.3	2.8
- TEXTILE	81.4												81.4	79.7
OLEFIN[h]	66.5												66.5	62.0
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE[i]	**304.5**												**304.5**	**314.9**
STAPLE+TOW+FIBERFILL														
RAYON	**20.7**												**20.7**	**30.3**
NYLON[e]	62.9												62.9	69.7
ACRYLIC+MODACRYLIC	66.1												66.1	76.6
POLYESTER	148.3												148.3	191.8
OLEFIN+VINYON	33.3												33.3	26.1
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE	**310.6**												**310.6**	**364.2**
WOOL & COTTON CONSUMPTION														
APPAREL CLASS WOOL														
CARPET CLASS WOOL														
TOTAL RAW WOOL														
RAW COTTON														

a. Year-to-date totals except for stock, which is the latest month's data.
b. The monthly production of each fiber may be calculated as total shipments plus a stock increase, or less a stock decrease, over the month.
c. Producers' total domestic plus export shipments.
d. Rayon yarn data are available annually only; see page 43 of the March 1985 issue.
e. Data for nylon exclude aramid.
f. Industrial is defined as 500 denier and coarser with an Instron tenacity of 7 grams or more per denier.
g. Low denier industrial is defined as finer than 500 denier with an Instron tenacity over 5.5 grams per denier.
h. Olefin yarn+monofilaments also includes spunbonded polypropylene and film fiber produced for textile end uses.
i. Saran and spandex data are not included in these totals. See page 43 of the March 1985 issue for annual data on these yarns.
j. Acetate staple+tow data are available annually only; see page 43 of the March 1985 issue.
k. Low denier industrial Nylon is now included with Textile.

TABLE 16:
QUARTERLY MAN-MADE FIBER DATA

MILLION POUNDS

ITEM	1984 1ST Q	1984 2ND Q	1984 3RD Q	1984 4TH Q	1984 YEAR	1985 1ST Q	1985 2ND Q	1985 3RD Q	1985 4TH Q	1985 YEAR	1986 1ST Q	1986 2ND Q	1986 3RD Q	1986 4TH Q	1986 YEAR
						YARN+MONOFILAMENTS[a]									
CELLULOSIC YARN[f]															
PRODUCTION	**55.2**	**56.0**	**50.0**	**37.0**	**198.2**	**52.8**	**54.5**	**48.4**	**48.9**	**204.6**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	48.7	51.9	43.4	36.1	180.1	44.4	48.0	46.6	48.1	187.1					
- EXPORT	5.8	4.2	4.4	3.8	18.2	7.3	6.0	4.6	5.1	23.0					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**54.5**	**56.1**	**47.8**	**39.9**	**198.3**	**51.7**	**54.0**	**51.2**	**53.2**	**210.1**					
ENDING STOCK	**13.2**	**13.1**	**15.3**	**12.4**		**18.9**	**19.4**	**16.6**	**12.3**						
NYLON															
PRODUCTION	**400.9**	**407.9**	**383.3**	**385.2**	**1577.3**	**370.8**	**380.3**	**386.7**	**397.0**	**1514.8**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	365.1	370.7	348.9	353.4	1438.1	323.7	353.0	368.9	371.8	1417.4					
- EXPORT	29.9	30.1	29.1	30.2	119.3	33.5	25.0	33.3	26.6	118.4					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**395.0**	**400.8**	**378.0**	**383.6**	**1557.4**	**357.2**	**378.0**	**402.2**	**398.4**	**1535.8**					
ENDING STOCK	**126.7**	**133.8**	**139.1**	**140.7**		**154.3**	**136.6**	**121.1**	**119.7**						
OLEFIN[b]															
PRODUCTION	**178.0**	**184.5**	**171.5**	**213.1**	**747.1**	**231.6**	**251.1**	**234.5**	**222.8**	**940.0**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	169.3	180.2	169.6	206.5	725.6	223.6	246.0	234.4	220.2	924.2					
- EXPORT	4.3	3.8	4.2	4.2	16.5	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.4	14.0					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**173.6**	**184.0**	**173.8**	**210.7**	**742.1**	**227.2**	**249.8**	**237.6**	**223.6**	**938.2**					
ENDING STOCK	**60.9**	**61.4**	**59.1**	**61.5**		**65.9**	**67.2**	**64.1**	**63.3**						
POLYESTER															
PRODUCTION	**318.8**	**297.5**	**279.8**	**303.9**	**1200.0**	**316.2**	**340.8**	**345.9**	**318.0**	**1320.9**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	291.9	286.1	276.9	293.0	1149.8	290.1	311.6	309.2	293.3	1204.2					
- EXPORT	14.1	12.4	9.9	16.8	53.2	17.7	30.6	29.0	31.0	108.3					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**306.0**	**298.5**	**286.8**	**306.8**	**1198.1**	**307.8**	**342.2**	**338.2**	**324.3**	**1312.5**					
ENDING STOCK	**110.4**	**109.4**	**102.4**	**99.5**		**107.9**	**106.5**	**114.2**	**107.9**						
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC ABOVE															
PRODUCTION	**897.7**	**889.9**	**834.6**	**902.2**	**3524.4**	**918.6**	**952.2**	**967.1**	**937.8**	**3775.7**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	826.3	837.0	795.4	849.9	3308.6	837.4	910.6	912.5	885.3	3545.8					
- EXPORT	48.3	46.3	43.2	51.2	189.0	54.8	59.4	65.5	61.0	240.7					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**874.6**	**883.3**	**838.6**	**901.1**	**3497.6**	**892.2**	**970.0**	**978.0**	**946.3**	**3786.5**					
ENDING STOCK	**298.0**	**304.6**	**300.6**	**301.7**		**328.1**	**310.3**	**299.4**	**290.9**						
DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	826.3	837.0	795.4	849.9	3308.6	837.4	910.6	912.5	885.3	3545.8					
IMPORTS - TEXTURED YARN[c]	12.4	13.3	12.0	12.3	50.0	16.2	16.2	22.7	17.8	72.9					
- OTHER YARN[c]	12.9	13.2	13.9	11.1	51.1	11.9	12.0	9.3	8.4	41.6					
- MONOFILAMENTS	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.4	2.9	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	2.1					
TOTAL IMPORTS	26.3	27.2	26.7	23.8	104.0	28.7	28.8	32.5	26.6	116.6					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**852.6**	**864.2**	**822.1**	**873.7**	**3412.6**	**866.1**	**939.4**	**945.0**	**911.9**	**3662.4**					
						TEXTILE GLASS FIBER									
PRODUCTION	**333.3**	**337.0**	**342.9**	**380.8**	**1394.0**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	305.1	340.8	311.0	293.8	1250.7	300.6	NA	NA	NA	NA					
- EXPORT	11.7	14.8	14.9	16.6	58.0	17.3	NA	NA	NA	NA					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**316.8**	**355.6**	**325.9**	**310.4**	**1308.7**	**317.9**	**325.6**	**318.8**	**297.3**	**1259.6**					
ENDING STOCK	**141.2**	**122.6**	**139.6**	**210.0**		**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**					
IMPORTS	7.8	5.7	5.4	4.2	23.1	7.5	9.4	8.4	9.4	34.7					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**312.9**	**346.5**	**316.4**	**298.0**	**1273.8**	**308.1**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**					

FOOTNOTES FOR TABLE ABOVE & OPPOSITE

NA means no longer available.

"Imports" are imports for consumption, as reported by the U.S. Census Bureau.

a. Data for rayon and "Other" noncellulosic yarns (chiefly saran & spandex) are available annually only; see pages 42 & 43 of the March 1985 issue for further details on these yarns.

b. Also include film fiber as well as spunbonded polypropylene.

c. Include singles and plied.

d. Acetate staple+tow data are available annually only; see pages 42 & 43 of the March 1985 issue for further details.

e. These figures are composites of the nylon, acrylic+modacrylic, polyester and olefin staple imports, i.e., Commodity Numbers 309.4338, .4342, .4345 & .4346.

f. 1984 data - Acetate Yarn only.

TABLE 17:
QUARTERLY MAN-MADE FIBER DATA *(Continued)*

MILLION POUNDS

ITEM	1984 1ST Q	1984 2ND Q	1984 3RD Q	1984 4TH Q	1984 YEAR	1985 1ST Q	1985 2ND Q	1985 3RD Q	1985 4TH Q	1985 YEAR	1986 1ST Q	1986 2ND Q	1986 3RD Q	1986 4TH Q	1986 YEAR
						STAPLE+TOW[a]									
RAYON															
PRODUCTION	**104.0**	**103.7**	**94.0**	**87.5**	**389.2**	**85.6**	**85.8**	**87.2**	**94.1**	**352.7**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	90.7	82.5	81.6	77.1	331.9	73.8	76.6	82.9	90.4	323.7					
- EXPORT	11.3	20.3	10.3	10.2	52.1	7.9	13.5	10.0	3.6	35.0					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**102.0**	**102.8**	**91.9**	**87.3**	**384.0**	**81.7**	**90.1**	**92.9**	**94.0**	**358.7**					
ENDING STOCK	**25.3**	**26.2**	**28.3**	**28.5**		**32.4**	**28.1**	**22.4**	**22.5**						
DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	90.7	82.5	81.6	77.1	331.9	73.8	76.6	82.9	90.4	323.7					
IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION															
STAPLE	4.4	3.2	3.9	3.9	15.4	3.8	2.2	2.4	2.9	11.3					
GROUPED FILAMENTS	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	1.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	1.1					
TOTAL IMPORTS	4.8	3.5	4.4	4.3	17.0	4.1	2.5	2.7	3.1	12.4					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**95.5**	**86.0**	**86.0**	**81.4**	**348.9**	**77.9**	**79.1**	**85.6**	**93.5**	**336.1**					
NYLON															
PRODUCTION	**220.9**	**216.6**	**193.0**	**204.3**	**834.8**	**191.6**	**200.8**	**215.6**	**219.7**	**827.7**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	211.1	210.6	194.5	198.2	814.4	192.8	202.7	212.9	221.9	830.3					
- EXPORT	5.6	3.1	4.6	3.6	16.9	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.7	13.3					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**216.7**	**213.7**	**199.1**	**201.8**	**831.3**	**196.1**	**205.8**	**216.1**	**225.6**	**843.6**					
ENDING STOCK	**79.3**	**82.2**	**76.1**	**78.6**		**74.1**	**69.1**	**68.6**	**62.7**						
IMPORTS	7.9	7.8	12.1	10.5	38.3	8.7	8.0	12.5	9.3	38.5					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**219.0**	**218.4**	**206.6**	**208.7**	**852.7**	**201.5**	**210.7**	**225.4**	**231.2**	**868.8**					
ACRYLIC+MODACRYLIC															
PRODUCTION	**171.7**	**174.9**	**164.7**	**159.5**	**670.8**	**163.0**	**158.5**	**152.1**	**157.2**	**630.8**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	120.6	124.2	107.7	94.2	446.7	105.3	119.7	118.6	115.1	458.7					
- EXPORT	48.5	51.3	60.7	59.0	219.5	59.0	42.4	46.7	37.0	185.1					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**169.1**	**175.5**	**168.4**	**153.2**	**666.2**	**164.3**	**162.1**	**165.3**	**152.1**	**643.8**					
ENDING STOCK	**75.4**	**74.8**	**71.1**	**77.4**		**76.1**	**72.5**	**59.3**	**64.4**						
IMPORTS	3.3	3.8	3.9	2.5	13.5	3.4	3.6	5.9	4.7	17.6					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**123.9**	**128.0**	**111.6**	**96.7**	**460.2**	**108.7**	**123.3**	**124.5**	**119.8**	**476.3**					
OLEFIN+VINYON															
PRODUCTION	**57.3**	**61.8**	**64.4**	**66.4**	**249.9**	**69.1**	**72.7**	**75.1**	**77.8**	**294.7**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	53.7	61.0	62.7	63.5	240.9	67.2	71.9	70.8	69.8	279.7					
- EXPORT	3.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	5.8	1.0	2.0	3.2	2.3	8.5					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**57.5**	**61.6**	**63.2**	**64.4**	**246.7**	**68.2**	**73.9**	**74.0**	**72.1**	**288.2**					
ENDING STOCK	**19.8**	**20.0**	**21.2**	**23.2**		**24.1**	**22.9**	**24.0**	**29.7**						
POLYESTER															
PRODUCTION	**561.6**	**573.5**	**531.4**	**525.3**	**2191.8**	**520.7**	**512.2**	**468.9**	**518.3**	**2020.1**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	514.2	527.7	481.3	469.0	1992.2	456.3	460.2	462.4	493.8	1872.7					
- EXPORT	32.8	34.6	44.8	88.0	200.2	51.0	63.2	29.1	22.6	165.9					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**547.0**	**562.3**	**526.1**	**557.0**	**2192.4**	**507.3**	**523.4**	**491.5**	**516.4**	**2038.6**					
ENDING STOCK	**188.7**	**199.9**	**205.2**	**173.5**		**186.9**	**175.7**	**153.1**	**155.0**						
IMPORTS	7.8	5.5	5.2	4.4	22.9	5.5	7.7	7.3	6.3	26.8					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**522.0**	**533.2**	**486.5**	**473.4**	**2015.1**	**461.8**	**467.9**	**469.7**	**500.1**	**1899.5**					
TOTAL NONCELLULOSIC															
PRODUCTION	**1011.5**	**1026.8**	**953.5**	**955.5**	**3947.3**	**944.4**	**944.2**	**911.7**	**973.0**	**3773.3**					
SHIPMENTS - DOMESTIC	899.6	923.5	846.2	824.9	3494.2	821.6	854.5	864.7	900.6	3441.4					
- EXPORT	90.7	89.6	110.6	151.5	442.4	114.3	110.7	82.2	65.6	372.8					
TOTAL SHIPMENTS	**990.3**	**1013.1**	**956.8**	**976.4**	**3936.6**	**935.9**	**965.2**	**946.9**	**966.2**	**3814.2**					
ENDING STOCK	**363.2**	**376.9**	**373.6**	**352.7**		**361.2**	**340.2**	**305.0**	**311.8**						
DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS	899.6	923.5	846.2	824.9	3494.2	821.6	854.5	864.7	900.6	3441.4					
IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION															
3 FIBERS ABOVE[e]	19.0	17.1	21.2	17.4	74.7	17.6	19.3	25.7	20.3	82.9					
OTHER N.C. STAPLE	4.6	4.2	5.3	3.5	17.6	7.1	7.3	8.7	8.2	31.3					
GROUPED FILAMENTS	11.0	9.5	9.6	8.7	38.8	9.5	11.8	11.9	12.3	45.5					
TOTAL IMPORTS	34.6	30.8	36.1	29.6	131.1	34.2	38.4	46.3	40.8	159.7					
TOTAL AVAILABLE	**934.2**	**954.3**	**882.3**	**854.5**	**3625.3**	**855.8**	**892.9**	**911.0**	**941.4**	**3601.1**					

See footnotes on opposite page.

GRAPH 5:
SELECTED U.S. MONTHLY TEXTILE FIBER DATA